

REPORTED SPEECH

Your name: _____

Exercise 1. Choose the correct answers.

1. Jack asked me _____.
A. where do you come from? B. where I came from
C. where I came from D. where did I come from?
2. She asked me _____ I liked pop music.
A. when B. what C. if D. x
3. The doctor _____ him to take more exercise.
A. told B. tell C. have told D. are telling
4. I wanted to know _____ return home.
A. when would she B. when will she
C. when she will D. when she would
5. Claire told me that her father _____ a race horse.
A. owns B. owned C. owning D. A and B
6. I said that I had met her _____.
A. yesterday B. the previous day C. the day D. the before day.
7. The man asked the boys _____.
A. why did they fight B. why they were fighting
C. why they fight D. why were they fighting
8. Peter said he was leaving for Paris _____.
A. next week B. the week previous
C. following week D. the following week
9. They said that their house had been broken into _____.
A. the two days before B. two days ago
C. two days before D. since two days
10. "Do you know _____?" asked the man.
A. where is the ticket office B. where the ticket office is
C. the ticket office is D. where was the ticket office
11. The teacher asked Mary _____ the previous match.
A. who wins B. who is winning C. who won D. that won

12. My father asked me _____ of the film.
A. what do you think B. what I think C. what did you think D. what I thought
13. Cindy said that "I haven't seen John since last month."
A. Cindy said she hasn't seen John since the previous month
B. Cindy said she hadn't seen John since the previous month
C. Cindy said she wasn't seen John since the previous month
D. Cindy said she doesn't see John since the previous month
14. His wife said to him: "write to me as often as you can"
A. His wife told him to write to her as often as he can
B. His wife told him to write to her as often as he could
C. His wife told him writing to her as often as he could
D. His wife told him writing to her as often as he can
15. "What were you doing last night, Mr John?" asked the police.
A. The police asked what were you doing last night, Mr John
B. The police asked Mr John what he had been doing the night before
C. The police asked Mr John what he had been done the night before
D. The police asked Mr John what had he been done the night before
16. She said that she ----- there the year before.
A. went B. had gone C. would go D. goes
17. Peter asked Jane why ----- the film on T.V the previous night.
A. didn't she watch B. hadn't she watched
C. she doesn't watch D. she hadn't watched
18. They said they ----- us if we needed.
A. help B. helped C. would help D. had helped
19. He said he would do it -----,
A. yesterday B. the following day C. the previous day D. the day before
20. Claire wanted to know what time -----.
A. do the banks close B. the banks closed
C. did the banks close D. the banks would close

Exercise 2. Choose the correct answer.

1. Ba said he _____ some good marks last semester.
A. gets B. got C. getting D. have got
2. They asked me how many children _____.
A. I had B. had I C. I have D. have I
3. Thu said she had been _____ the day before.
A. here B. there C. in this place D. where
4. The student said that the English test _____ the most difficult.
A. is B. was C. will be D. have been
5. They told their parents that they _____ their best to do the test.
A. try B. will try C. are trying D. would try
6. She asked me where I _____ from.
A. come B. coming C. to come D. came
7. She _____ me whether I liked classical music or not.
A. ask B. asks C. asked D. asking
8. He asked me who the editor of that book _____.
A. was B. were C. is D. has been
9. He wants to know whether I _____ back tomorrow.
A. come B. came C. will come D. would come
10. I wonder why he _____ love his family.
A. doesn't B. don't C. didn't D. hasn't
11. He asked her ----- if someone stepped on her feet .
A. what she would say B. what would she say
C. what will she say D. she would say what
12. Jack asked his sister.....
A. where she would go the following day B. where you will go tomorrow
B. where you have gone tomorrow D. where would she go the following day
13. She said she _____.
A. was very tired last night B. was very tired the night before
C. had been very tired last night D. had been very tired the night before
14. Emily said that her teacher _____ to London _____.

- A. will go / tomorrow B. went / tomorrow
C. would go / the next day D. had gone / the next day

15. She asked _____.

- A. where was her umbrella B. if who has given
C. who had given D. that who had given

16. Robert said that his father _____ to Dallas the year before.

- A. goes B. went C. has gone D. had gone

17. The mother asked her son _____.

- A. where he has been B. where he had been
C. where has he been D. where had he been

18. Martin asked me _____.

- A. how is my father B. how my father is
C. how was my father D. how my father was

19. The host asked Peter _____ tea or coffee.

- A. whether he preferred B. that he preferred C. did he prefer D. if he prefers

20. She asked me _____ my holidays _____.

- A. where I spent / the previous year B. where I had spent / the previous year
C. where I spent / last year D. where did I spend / last year

21. The guest told the host that _____.

- A. I must go now B. he must go now C. he had to go now D. he had to go then

22. He said, "My wife has just bought a diamond ring."

- A. He said that his wife had just bought a diamond ring.
B. He said that my wife had just bought a diamond ring.
C. He said that his wife has just bought a diamond ring.
D. he said that his wife just bought a diamond ring.

23. "I will come with you as soon as I am ready", she said to Philip.

- A. She said to Philip he will come to see you as soon as he I am ready.
B. She told Philip she will come to see her as soon as she was ready.
C. She told Philip she would come to see you as soon as she was ready.
D. She told Philip she would come to see him as soon as she was ready.